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my contact report?

Visit to Rufus by Roberto Ford

Presons presents [ ] H. Hunt, [ ]

~~It was advised by~~

The matter of how ~~the~~ [ ] resignation could best be presented to Rufus was presented by Hunt. He said in effect that [ ] should go to [ ] and check on his health, then go to Rufus and give him personally [ ] resignation letter. Advise Rufus that we are sorry bout the whole thing and that unfortunately ~~the~~ [ ] decision was caused by natural events which shaped up by the fact that Rufus has now in effect been declared as the principal leader. [ ] would listen to Rufus's ~~criticisms~~ comments on [ ] criticisms of the Group and would be ready to make any adjustments possible for future activities. ~~Stress~~ Stress would be placed on the unfortunate fact of his [ ] health and that maybe sometime in the future he could be of help, ~~No emphasis would be made of this point, as it was unlikely that Rufus would~~ This would in effect terminate [ ] activities with the Group. [ ] advised that he was not in agreement with this but suggested that [ ] definitely attempt to ~~re~~conciliate [ ] and then in a visit with Rufus attempt to secure his aid in getting [ ] cooperation at this critical time.

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Rufus

Hunt stated ~~this~~ he had not understood that it was desired to maintain [ ] services, but in view of ~~the~~ [ ] views he thought then that [ ] should go first to Rufus without stopping to see [ ] and that armed with Rufus's personal views (which [ ] possibly could influence) he could then return to [ ] in a much stronger position, since he would not only be voicing the Group's opinion but Rufus's as well.

This was agreed to by [ ] who requested that [ ] commence his plans to visit Rufus immediately and that he check with [ ] and Robertson regarding method ~~and manner~~ of contacting Rufus in Tegoc.